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SUBJECT: TOGOLESE CABINET RESHUFFLE

1. IN ROUTINE CABINET RESHUFFLE SEPTEMBER 6, LONGTIME FOREIGN MINISTER HUNLEDE WAS REPLACED BY EDEM KODJO FORMERLY MINISTER OF FINANCE AND ECONOMY. KODJO'S PLACE WAS TAKEN BY TECHNICIAN FROM WITHIN THE MINISTRY, YAO GRUNITZKY. HUNLEDE HAS RECENTLY MADE LITTLE SECRET OF HIS DESIRE TO RETIRE FROM POST HE HAS HELD FOR ALMOST 10 YEARS.

2. KODJO, A TWO-TIME LEADER GRANTEE, IS WELL KNOWN TO DEPARTMENT. GRUNITZKY HAS BEEN THE CHIEF SIGNING OFFICER (FONDE DE POUVOIR) OF THE TREASURY SINCE 1968. HE IS A 41 YEAR OLD EWE FROM ATAKPAME AND A RELATION OF THE FORMER PRESIDENT. BIO DATA FOLLOWS BY POUCH.
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